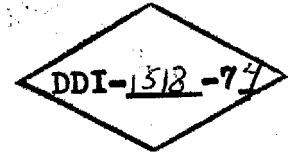


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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy to the DCI for the Intelligence Community  
SUBJECT : Intelligence Community Personnel Exchange Program

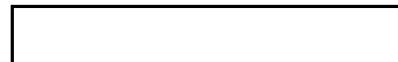
25X1 1. The objective of exchanging personnel set forth in subject proposal is one I support wholeheartedly. In fact, the Intelligence Directorate has for some years encouraged such exchanges in bilateral arrangements with other agencies. For example, we are now working on a request from [redacted] for two DDI analysts to be assigned to his staff on rotational tours. For the last few years several representatives of other agencies have been detailed for one or two years to the Office of Strategic Research. These have included officers from NSA, Army, Navy, and Air Force. At the present the following are serving in OSR:



25X1 USAF Intelligence  
USN Systems Analysis  
USA DIA  
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USA Intelligence  
NSA

OSR has also arranged for an exchange of officers with NSA for one-year tours beginning in the next couple of months. These have been useful and productive arrangements. It is difficult for me to believe, however, that OSR could absorb much more of this type of activity without it impacting on the work they have to do.

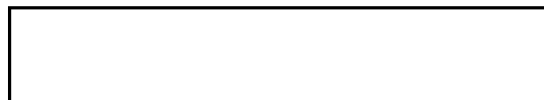
2. Thus while I endorse the purpose of your proposal, whatever arrangements you eventually propose should be kept small and bureaucratically simple. Your proposal as it now reads appears to



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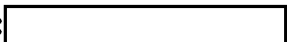
me to be too formal and bureaucratic. We could get bogged down in reporting and procedures and lose sight of the purpose and benefits. Furthermore, I hope that this overlay of bureaucracy does not discourage the individual arrangements that have been so profitable in the past. Finally, since people on six-month tours are unlikely to be very productive, I am concerned about the cost of this training and the slots diverted to this program in light of the tight ceilings under which we are now operating.



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TO: ~~FI~~ *Mr. Walsh -- FYT*

FROM:

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REMARKS:

Attached for your signature is  
the memo to Danny Graham on subject  
proposal.

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